

(1) $\nabla^2 f(x) = A^T A$ 令 $M = \max \text{eig}(A^T A)$, 则 M 是满足 $\nabla^2 f(x) \leq M I$ 的最小值.

$$\nabla f(x) = \nabla f(y) + \nabla^2 f(y)^T (x - y)$$

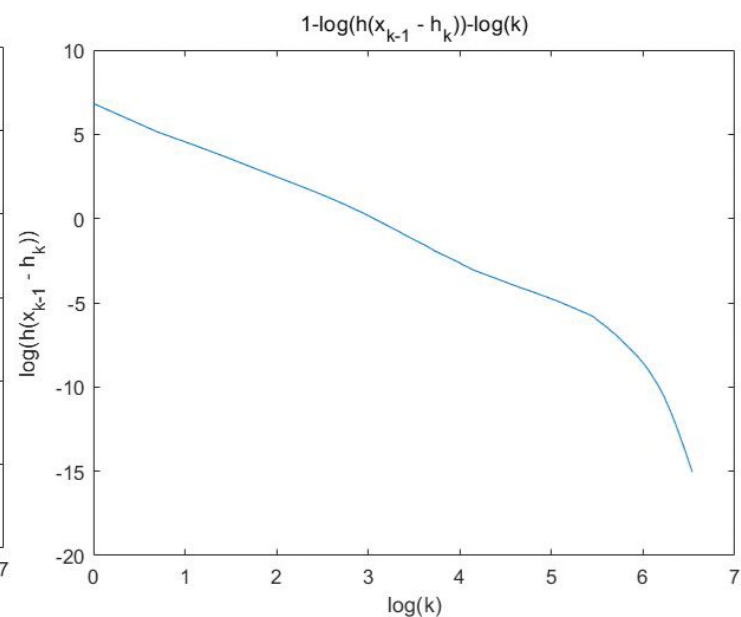
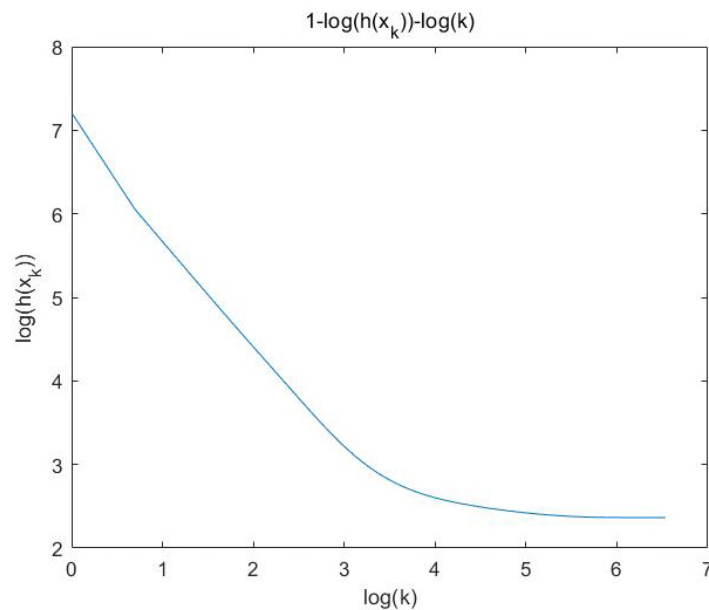
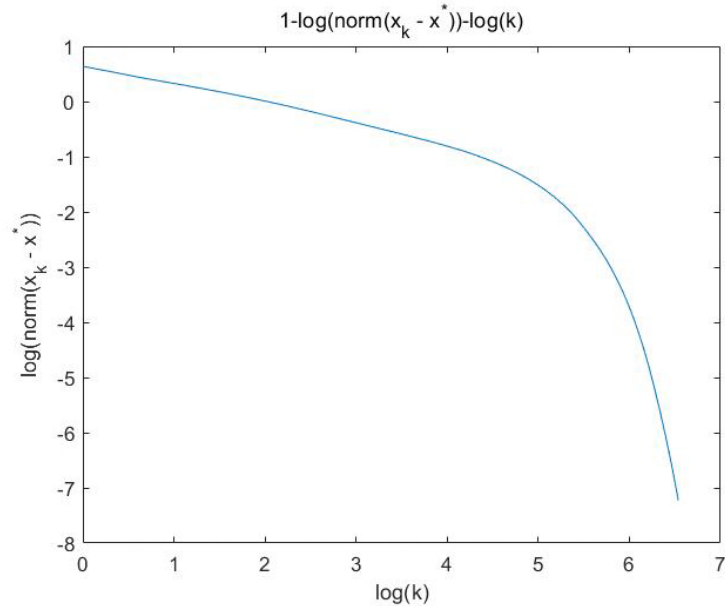
$$\Rightarrow \|\nabla f(x) - \nabla f(y)\| = \|\nabla^2 f(y)^T (x - y)\| \leq M \|x - y\|$$

(2) $x_{k+1} = \text{Prox}_{\alpha g}(x_k - \alpha \nabla f(x_k)) = \text{Soft}(x_k - \alpha \nabla f(x_k))$, 其中 $\alpha = \frac{1}{M}$, $\gamma = 1$, $\nabla f(x_k) = A^T (Ax_k - b)$

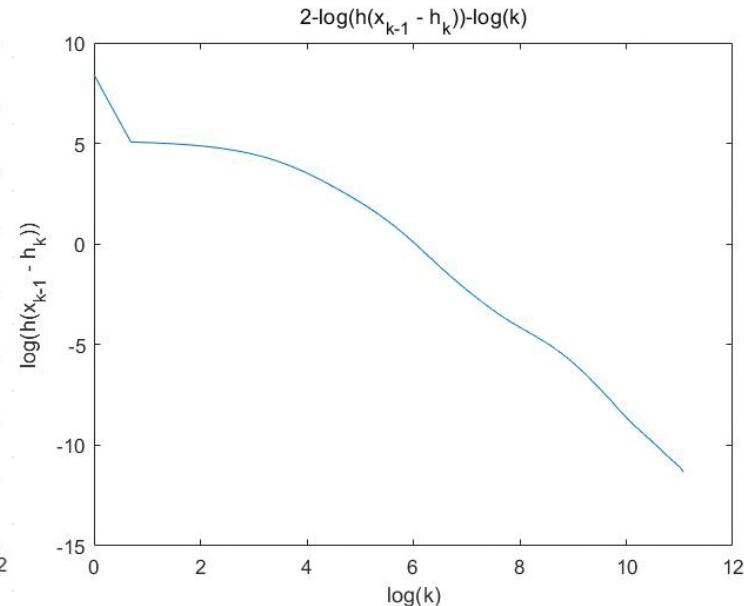
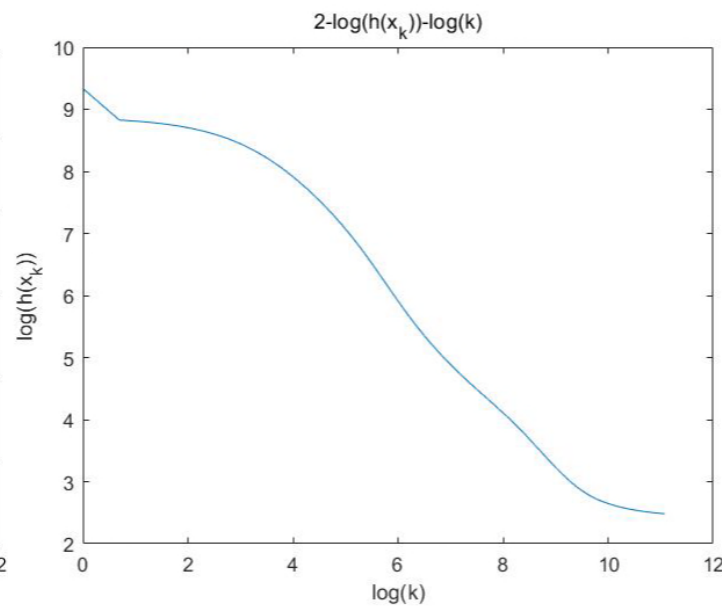
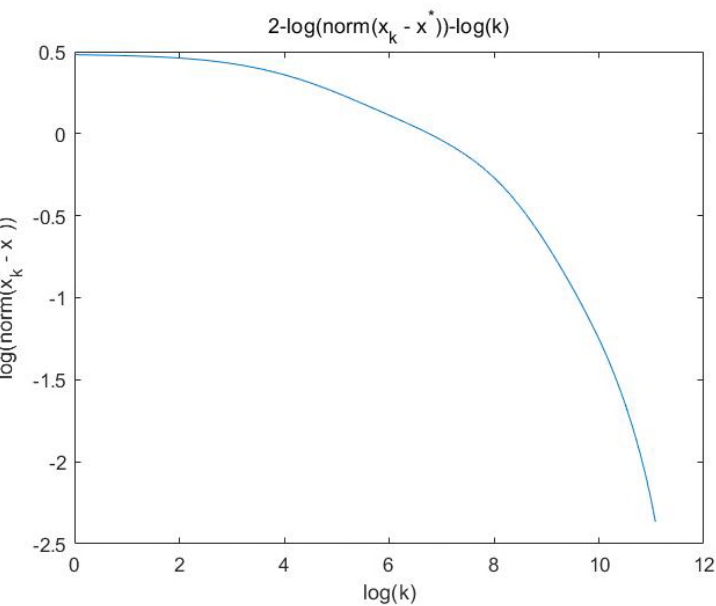
令 $[x_k]_i$ 表示 x_k 的第 i 个分量

$$[x_{k+1}]_i = \begin{cases} [x_k - \frac{\nabla f(x_k)}{M}]_i - \frac{1}{M} & \text{if } [x_k - \frac{\nabla f(x_k)}{M}]_i \geq \frac{1}{M} \\ [x_k - \frac{\nabla f(x_k)}{M}]_i + \frac{1}{M} & \text{if } [x_k - \frac{\nabla f(x_k)}{M}]_i \leq -\frac{1}{M} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(3) A1, b1: (x^* 为 $|f(x_{k+1}) - f(x_k)| < 10^{-6}$ 时的 x_{k+1})



A2. b_2 : (x^* 为 $|f(x_{k+1}) - f(x_k)| < 10^{-6}$ 时的 x_{k+1})



(4) 令 $\Delta_k = M(x_k - x_{k+1}) = M(x_k - \text{Prox}_{\alpha g}(x_k - \alpha \nabla f(x_k)))$
 $\Leftrightarrow x_k - \alpha \Delta_k = \text{Prox}_{\alpha g}(x_k - \alpha \nabla f(x_k)) \Leftrightarrow \Delta_k = \nabla f(x_k) + v_k, v_k \in \partial g(x_{k+1})$
 而 $f(x_{k+1}) \leq f(x_k) - \frac{1}{M} \nabla f(x_k)^T \Delta_k + \frac{1}{2M} \|\Delta_k\|^2, g(x_{k+1}) + \frac{1}{M} v_k^T \Delta_k \leq g(x_k)$
 $\Rightarrow h(x_{k+1}) \leq h(x_k) - \frac{1}{2M} \|\Delta_k\|^2$
 而 $h(x_{k+1}) - h(x^*) \leq \nabla f(x_k)^T (x_k - x^*) + v_k^T (x_{k+1} - x^*) - \nabla f(x_k)^T (x_k - x_{k+1}) + \frac{1}{2M} \|\Delta_k\|^2$
 $= \Delta_k (x_k - x^*) - \frac{1}{2M} \|\Delta_k\|^2$
 $\Rightarrow h(x_k) - h(x^*) \leq \frac{M \|x_0 - x^*\|^2}{2k}$

A_1 对应的 M_1 为 $3.0401e+3$, A_2 对应的 M_2 为 $1.6384e+6$, 在本题题设下, 更小的 M 值使得 A_1 对应的情况收敛更快.